

FIFTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 1896.

ONE CENT.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mrs. Ellen Cunningham has returned from a visit to Mrs. John Lytle at Paris.

Mrs. Henry Burgoyne of Donnell is visiting relatives and friends in the county.

Mr. Hugh Brightwell of Covington is in the city, shaking hands with old friends.

Mrs. Robert Pickin and daughters, Misses Julia and Imogene, are spending the summer at Big Bone, Ky.

Mrs. J. M. Nolin, who is located at Louisville, came home Saturday last to be present at the Commencement exercises of the Misses Young's school, her daughter Helena being one of two graduates. Mrs. Nolin returned to her post of duty this morning via L. and N. train.

Ville Henson has qualified as Executor of Arthur Henson.

The Mayville Assembly will entertain at the Hill House Friday, June 13th.

President Cleveland has signed the bill making Captain J. Harvey Parker of Mayvill an increase of pension to \$50 a month and it is now a law. The Captain's many friends in Mayville will be glad to learn of his deserved good fortune.

In the Circuit Court Tuesday Isaac Garson, colored, was given three years in the Penitentiary. He was convicted of detaining a 13 year old white girl. His home is at Washington, and he had been before the Court several times for stealing.

Mr. Clarence Sherwood of Ewing Station visited our city for a few days this week. Mr. Sherwood was for a long time Express Messenger running between Mayville and Lexington, but is now deep in the science of anatomy preliminary to becoming an M. D. May success crown his effort, for a truer, more intelligent, manlier fellow does not live.

Mr. R. L. Hoefel is among the groomsmen assisting in launching the matrimonial sea Dr. Edwin Matthews and Miss Power, who will be married at 7:30 o'clock this evening. The preparations have been going on for weeks and are very elaborate. A quantity of roses, chrysanthemums and ferns will enrich the interior of the house. A wedding feast of great sumptuousness will follow the ceremony.

CLOSING EXERCISES.

Program for the Mayville High School Tomorrow Evening.

The closing exercises of the Mayville High School will take place tomorrow evening at the Opera-house at 8 o'clock.

The following program will be rendered: Invocation, Rev. J. S. Sims. Music, Mayville Orchestra. Chorus, Girls of High School. Music, Mayville Orchestra.

Address to Class, Mr. John DeWitt Miller of Philadelphia. Music, Mayville Orchestra. Presentation of M-diss and Diplomas, Mr. W. H. Wadsworth, Chairman Board of Education.

No flowers nor presents received on the platform.

Doors open at 7:30.

Friends of the Public Schools are cordially invited.

SINGING IN LONDON.

Miss Marguerite Reid Scores a Success at Covent Garden.

Miss Marguerite Reid (Kackley), sister of Mrs. M. C. Russell and Messrs J. T. and John Kackley of this city, appeared in Grand Opera at Covent Garden, London, on May 14th.

Writing of the event the London correspondent of The Chicago Journal says: "Marguerite Reid, an American girl who has been studying in Paris for two years, gained signal recognition in Grand Opera last night. She sang the principal role of Nedda in Leoncavallo's 'Pagliacci', and was supported by Dr. Lucie and Ancona. One of the most distinguished and critical audiences seen in London this season gave the young American's work its unqualified approval. Among these present were the Princess of Wales, her daughters the Princesses Maud and Victoria, and the latter's fiancé, Prince Charles of Denmark. Miss Reid's voice is described as strong, pure, clear and peculiarly fresh. She has a wonderful girlish beauty and is not without ability as an actress. She received a tempestuous recall at the finale."

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

WHITE STORMS—FAIR;
BLUE—RAIN or SNOW;
If Black ABOVE—IT WILL WARMER
grow.
If Black BELOW—COLDER IT WILL
be.

Unless Black's shadow no change
we'll see

The above forecasts are made for a
period of twenty-four hours, ending at 6 o'clock
to-morrow evening.

Born, June 9th, to the wife of Mr. D. A. Emmitt, a fine son.

Colonel Thomas J. Winters is improving his Court street residence.

For Paris Green that will kill and not harm insects go to Chenoweth's.

Rufus Robinson has been appointed Road Overseer in place of W. R. Lloyd.

Mr. Lee B. Gray is now Collector for the Gas and Electric Light Companies.

The C. and O. is laying a switch at the electric plant and gas house in the lower part of the city.

When Dave Dry starts out to look for "leaks," you may depend that his pipeline leads to fun.

Mary Hamilton, aged 34, daughter of Samuel Hamilton, colored, died at her home in the Sixth Ward after a lingering illness.

Samuel Price, drunk and disorderly, was fined \$5 and costs—\$11.70—in default of which he is a guest at the Hotel de Johnson.

Messrs. Russell and Newton, sons of Rev. J. B. Briney, formerly of this city, graduate this week from the Lexington Bible College.

There was a busy good time at the fish fry at the mouth of Beasley Monday night. You may think we're paying fun at you, but we'd dye before doing that.

Engineer Chalkley, who was injured in a collision on the C. and O. Monday afternoon and who was brought to this city and placed under the care of Dr. C. C. Owens, the Railroad Surgeon, is getting along all right.

Marshall Rodgers and son Henry had a narrow escape from drowning while crossing the river at Manchester. The boy fell into the river and the father, in trying to save him, found it was too much of a job, and by the time he was fished out by two men he was exhausted.

To Flemingsburg Tomorrow.

The Players will leave here tomorrow afternoon to entertain our neighboring friends with two delightful farces well rendered and charmingly carried out. "The Bicycles," and "A Proposal Under Difficulties" are two funny plays, and we bespeak a crowded house for our Thespians, for Flemingsburg people know a good thing when they see it.

BALLOON ASCENSION.

Mayville Will Have One on the Fourth of July.



Preparing to Jump

Miss Victoria Lefloy will make a Balloon Ascension with a Parachute Drop of 5,000 feet at the picnic of the P. O. S. A. at the Fairgrounds July 4th.

There will also be Bicycle Races, Gravelled Pig Chase, Cake Walk and many other sports.

There will be so many attractions, in fact, that it will not be necessary for any one to go away from home to be entertained.

See large bills for the full program.

Thomas Watson has been appointed Road Overseer in place of Woodson Sullivan resigned.

Notice, Endeavorers!

Tonight immediately following Prayer-meeting the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Central Presbyterian Church will meet for business. It is very important that every member come, as matters of great interest are to be met. Election of officers, etc. Committees please bring written reports. By order of the President.

MISSSES YOUNG'S SCHOOL.

Closing Exercises Held Last Evening—A Delightful Occasion.

At this season of the year the columns of our papers are as full of school commencements as "oats was plentiful in the farmer's granary that season when it rained," to use a homely metaphor, and the use of adjectives as great when the reporter's pen is used to compliment the annual "sweet girl graduates" and the youth just launched upon the ocean of real, stern life.

Our full quota of commencements is full upon us, the flood tide is now at its height, and with last night's exercises, which brought to a close the Misses Young's School, we might say—and with ample regard for the truth of the assertion—the keystone in the arch of beautiful commencements was placed and the program as rendered one of great refreshing and pleasure to the very large audience which assembled to honor the painstaking care and very great diligence which spoke the talented and untiring principals, Misses Betty and Emma Young, to be through their interpreters, their many sweet, talented and highly cultivated scholars.

Recitations, songs and original essays made up a most interesting program, the several participants acquitting himself and herself with due and proper regard for self-possession, mentality and accurate conception of all the laws which grow out of care, diligence and studiousness.

We cannot dwell upon the merits of each participant, but pick out two of the most prominent ones, in whose behalf we speak a word of praise—true sentences of compliment—for these reasons: They were the graduates and because of their marked ability. Miss Allie Wells and Miss Helena Shawhan Nolin have completed their course of studies and having finished their work in the schoolroom, now step forth upon young womanhood's responsibilities. These two sweet girls are honored to their preceptors. Endowed with every gift and trait which makes the female sex so dear, it is no wonder their families are jubilant and their families cherished that they so distinguished themselves last evening. The original style of their essays, and by their ability to use so cunningly words, phrases and sentences, they were a garland of proudest thought so beautiful as to make a crown fit indeed for the Goddess of Rhetoric to place upon her radiant brow. Miss Nolin also sang a solo, showing her possession of another talent, making her price indeed. "Calvary" in its composition is sweet enough to stir any one to the very soul, but when listened to when coming from the throat of a lovely girl who feels its sacred meaning then its power is wonderful.

Her voice is as sweet as her character is pure. The ease with which she sings the expression of her face, attest in an unmistakable terms that naturally she is gifted far above the average vocalist. One who last year finished her studies and left her alma mater crowned with laurels was Miss Jessie Yancy, to whom much praise must be given for her share of the evening's delights. In recitation Miss Yancy is inflexible, and her power to move an audience was clearly demonstrated last night when she gave "The Address to the Graduates," composed by Miss Nolin. Then, too, she is not only an interpreter, for in her difficult role of Prophetess she sustained her reputation for originality by a finished essay entitled "A Retrospect and a Forecast."

Piano and violin made sweet harmony entered through music's portals, Miss Margaret Nolin and Mr. U. G. Bailey, respectively, rendering several difficult duos most delightfully.

All in all, it was an evening long to be remembered, and nothing but words of praise were heard for the Misses Young's school.

MAYSVILLE—KNOXVILLE!

THE LEDGER'S SPECIAL FROM THE BALL GAMES.



MAYSVILLE LOST AGAIN.

Mayville 6, Knoxville 8. That's what the telegraph brings us. And we guess it knows whereof it speaks.

It was an exciting game from start to finish.

The following telegram will show that:

Special to Public Ledger.

KNOXVILLE, June 9th—7:06 p. m.

Wildness of Mayville's pitchers gave today's game to Knoxville by a score of 8 to 6.

Jobs, who tried to prevent runner from scoring in third inning, would have been shown personal violence but for Empire Denny.

Battery—Bates and Gibson.

Errors—5.

Home runs—Crawley, Flournoy 2.

Bases on balls—Off Bates 4.

Mayville—Newton, Curie and Kellner.

Errors—10.

Struck out—By Newton 4, by Curie 3.

Bases on balls—Off Newton 4, off Curie 2.

Attendance—Five hundred.

L. C. BLANKSHIP.

TOUCHDOWNS.

The team will arrive home tomorrow morning.

Today's game will be the last of the series with Denny, and it is to be hoped the boys made up with him last night.

It is all right. In yesterday's game he and Newton agreed to divide honors.

Newton pitched the first half and Jimmy the last, and he made a good showing, striking out three men and Denny.

Saturday afternoon the State College and Center College teams played fourteen innings, and had to stop an account of darkness.

Neither side won, the score, standing at the end of the fourteenth, 10 to 10.

Good game, boys.

When Denny runs out of balls, strikes and run decisions he winks his eyes down to jobs on shortstop and he steps out and tries to bail out the visitors.

Well, jobs, if the Knoxville team ever comes to Mayville you stay in Knoxville, if you wish to keep yourself presentable to the public.

That the Knoxville Club has Umpire Denny bought—body and soul—and decisions—no one here will doubt. It is an extremely popular theory in Mayville, but of course it isn't up to date. Unity of decision agrees agreement of opinion among Umpire Denny and the Knoxville Indians; and agreement of opinion points unmistakably to the idea that the latter has purchased the former. The reasonableness of this position can be seen plainly by anyone who saw Newton pitch the game at the Park Decoration Day, when he could, had he so desired, struck out every man that faced him; and yet, when he goes to Knoxville, the umpire says he is wild, gives three or four men bases on balls and only four strikes out. With one of the best amateur pitchers in this country, backed up by such a strong club as Mayville, losing every game he has pitched in that city, there isn't a "fan" or "rooter" but who shrugs it looks like Denny has been "glued."

Mrs. John N. Thomas has sold her residence on Third street to Mrs. A. N. Richardson for \$6,500 cash.

Grand Bicycle Parade and Carnival.

The Ladies' Mission Society of the Christian Church have adopted a novel entertainment in the form of a Parade Carnival on Bicycles at the Park on Friday evening from 5 to 7 o'clock. Each lady and gentleman rider in the city has been invited to take part. The admission will be 15 cents at the gate. Refreshments will be served at an additional cost of 15 cents.

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At any time about anything you want to know concerning our stock of Watches, Jewelry and Silverware. You'll always find us at your service gladly, whenever you are at a loss what to give for a Wedding, Engagement, An-

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Did you say? Well, yes, that's one of our specialties. If your watch can't be made to keep time bring it to us and repairs will cost you nothing if we don't make it do so to your satisfaction.

BALLENGER, the Jeweler.

Buy a Gas Stove and save 25% on your gas bills. Investigate the cost. J. J. Fitzgerald.

Miss Jessie Yancy is today hostess to a gathering of friends whom she took home with her this morning for an old-fashioned spend-the-day effect in the country. We know they will have a charming time.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Those Who Have Missives in the Mayville Postoffice.

Below is a list of letters remaining uncalled for at the Mayville Postoffice for the week ending June 9th, 1896:

Applegate, Cary Morris, David C. Clarkson, Miss Hattie Michel, Will Collins, Mr. Purney, Miss Lisa Dumas, A. Power, Mrs. Ella Dickey, Miss Virginia Payne, Miss Alice (col) Henson, Rev. L. P. Lewis, Mr. Fannie Willis, Wm. Lyons, Oscar Wilson, C. B.

One cent due on each of above.

Persons calling for these letters will please say that they are advertised.

THOS. J. CHENOWETH, Postmaster.

White Kid
**Strap : :
Sandals.**
J. HENRY PECOR.

THE FISCAL COURT.

The Special Session Adjourns Until the Mandate Is Received.

The Fiscal Court met in special session yesterday upon the call of Judge Hutchins, to consider the matter of rescinding this year's levy of 20 cents for free turnpikes.

A motion to rescind the levy was lost—Yeas—Squires J. J. Perrine, P. B. Owens, C. W. Williams, I. L. McIlwaine Nays—Squires J. T. Branel, Jacob Miller, Thomas Forman W. H. Hook, Judge M. C. Hutchins.

After considerable discussion the Court adjourned until after the mandate of the Court of Appeals is received, and it is learned just how matters stand in reference to the enjoined levy of 1895.

It is proper to state, however, that the Court is practically unanimous in the opinion that but 20 cents should be collected this year—which of the two levies to be collected being the only contention.

The stockholders of the Hebron and Salem Ridge Turnpike Company came into Court and relinquished to the county their stock in said road, and it was accepted by the Court, to be made a part of the public road system of the county.

Call and learn how cheap you can buy a Watch. P. J. Murphy warrants all his Watches to keep good time. He guarantees to undersell any other dealer. His stock is the largest and finest selected in the city.

The Detroit and Cleveland Steam Navigation Company's steamers are now running daily (except Sunday) between Detroit and Cleveland. When traveling East or West, North or South, try to arrange to take advantage of these luxurious steamers between Michigan and Ohio. If you are contemplating a summer outing, write A. A. Schantz, G. P. A., Detroit, Mich., for illustrated pamphlet, which gives full information of a trip to Mackinac via the Coast Line.

NOT REQUIRED.

Profession Open to Any One Who Can Earn Scribbles.

Louiseville Commercial.

"Dad" Price, the Secretary of the Police Department, tells this story on himself. It may have been an ancient one that the young man heard somewhere on his travels, but it sounds all right. He says he was sitting at his desk one day signing some papers, and he was in such a hurry that he was not doing his very best. In fact, he was writing a wretched hand. A railroad man with grease on his face and warts on his hands entered. He said nothing for awhile, but just stood and watched Mr. Price write. Finally he said in a husky tone:

"By George! I wish I could write as good as you do."

Mr. Price did not reply, but just kept on writing. In a minute or two the man remarked:

"Great guns, if I could just write as good as you do!"

By this time Mr. Price was annoyed, and the stranger ventured to say:

"Well, if I could just write as good as you do!"

Then Mr. Price turned suddenly in his chair and said, angrily:

"Well, what would you do?"

"I'd go to China and write labels on tea boxes."

This is why Mr. Price took the railroad out and threw three or four red lemons into him.

If it required an annual outlay of \$100 to insure a family against any serious consequences from an attack of bowel complaint during the year there are many who would feel it their duty to pay it; that they could not afford to risk their lives, and those of their family for such an amount. Any one can get this insurance for 25 cents, that being the price of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. In almost every neighborhood some one has died from an attack of bowel complaint before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. One or two doses of this remedy will cure any ordinary case. It never fails. Can you afford to take the risk for so small an amount? For sale by J. J. Wood Druggist.

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